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\$8.50 and \$10.00 Suits—now \$5.85

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## SEARCHING FOR DEAD IN STEAMER'S WRECK.

Forty-Four Bodies Recovered From City of Pittsburgh—Captain Doss's Valise Found.

REPUBLICAN SPECIAL.

Calto, Ill., April 29.—The searching party on board the tug Thesus visited today again the wreck of the City of Pittsburgh and vicinity. Three bodies were found in the aft portion of the wreck. They were mere trunks, so badly charred that there is nothing to indicate the possibility of identification. The body of William Bollinger, the steward, was found near Turner's Landing.

A body, that of a girl, supposed to be a member of the Burk family, was found floating near Humphrey's Creek.

This morning a body was found floating opposite this city. It proved to be that of a white boy, probably 15 years of age, supposed to be another member of the Burk family. A negro boy, a deck hand, was also found near Cairo Point. This afternoon near Norfolk, the body of a man was found floating in the Mississippi River. It is supposed to be that of Harlow Dow, an aged man of Ashland, Ky.

This makes a total of forty-four bodies recovered. Captain Dan Scott, chief clerk, returned from Cincinnati today. The value of Captain Sylvester W. Doss was found today. It contains the manuscript of his book, "The Western River Steamers." The search for bodies may be continued to-morrow. The plan to be followed will be decided at a meeting of the interested parties at the Holiday Hotel.

CUTS Y. M. C. A. OFFICER.

Negro Slashes Assistant Secretary William Burgess.

William J. Burgess, Jr., assistant secretary of the branch of the Young Men's Christian Association located on Twentieth street between Market and Walnut streets, was cut last night by a negro while waiting for a Broadway car at Hall's Ferry road. A gash three inches long was inflicted on the left side of the neck. The wound is not of a serious nature.

Burgess says the cutting was done with a pocket knife. He was in company with Francis M. Wright of East St. Louis and was waiting for a car after spending the evening with his parents, who live at No. 525 Church road. The negro, who was near the corner and began using language, Burgess remonstrated with the negro, who drew a pocket knife and slashed him across the neck. The negro escaped.

ARGENTINA FAVORS THE FAIR.

Her Industrial Union Asks Government to Participate.

Jose de Oliveira, World's Fair Commissioner to several South American countries, writes from Buenos Ayres, under date of March 20, that President Casimiro Gomez of the Industrial Union of Argentina, the largest and most influential organization in that country, has assured him of the active support of the union.

The union will soon take steps to induce the government to participate officially. The matter of co-operation was discussed at a meeting of the union, at which Commissioner Oliveira and Lieutenant Attwell of the Argentine Navy, president of the Argentine Exposition, subsequently Commissioner Oliveira entertained President Gomez and Senator Francisco Segui, member of the Argentine Congress and president of the Geographical Institute of Argentina.

Tax Values in the Country.

The total assessed valuation of real and personal property in the county, according to the figures returned by the board, is \$32,000,000. This does not include the railroad assessment, which is made by the State Board of Equalization. Last year they were assessed at \$5,000,000, and this year at \$5,500,000. The total valuation of the county will accordingly be over \$37,500,000.

The county tax rate is now 30 cents on the \$100, but the Constitution requires that it be reduced to 25 cents when the \$50,000 mark is reached. The County Court objects to doing on the ground that the county cannot stand the loss in revenue. President Judge Wilson said yesterday that the court would probably take advantage of the constitutional amendment passed at the last election, authorizing the establishment of an additional 15-cent road tax.

WEDDINGS AT CHARLESTON.

REPUBLICAN SPECIAL.

Charleston, Ill., April 29.—The wedding of Mr. Patrick Sullivan of Mattoon and Miss Mary McMahon of Charleston, was celebrated at 8 o'clock this morning at St. Charles Catholic Church, the Reverend Father Driscoll performing the ceremony.

Mr. Albert O. Huckabee and Miss Zola Goble, two well-known young people of Charleston, were married today.

ZUBROD-MCFARLAND.

REPUBLICAN SPECIAL.

Henderson, Ky., April 29.—Mr. R. L. Zubrod and Miss Catherine Elizabeth McFarland were married here this evening.

Mr. Zubrod is a young druggist and his bride is the daughter of J. C. McFarland, who is in the drug business here.

IMMING-HEIR.

REPUBLICAN SPECIAL.

Carlyle, Ill., April 29.—Mr. John Imming and Miss L. Elizabeth Heir, both of Carlyle, were married this morning.

NETTEMER-HECKENKEMPER.

REPUBLICAN SPECIAL.

Carlyle, Ill., April 29.—Mr. Joseph Netteimer and Miss Frances Heckenkemper, both of near Darnestown, were united in marriage this morning in the Catholic Church in that village. They will reside on a farm near Darnestown.

GROSE-WILCHER.

REPUBLICAN SPECIAL.

Virginia, April 29.—Edward Grose and Miss Myrtle Wilcher, were married here this evening at the residence of the bride's father, Joseph Wilcher. The Reverend J. A. Burchett officiated.

BUTLER-RUSSELL.

REPUBLICAN SPECIAL.

Carlyle, Ill., April 29.—Mr. Ernest Butler and Miss L. Russell, were married today.

More than two pages of "Want" ads are printed in to-day's Republic. Eight hundred and five separate advertisements. Read them.

Capt. C. A. Ashcroft is ill.

Mrs. J. E. Ashcroft arrived in St. Louis yesterday from New York, and is the bedridden of her mother, Mrs. C. A. Ashcroft, who is seriously ill at her home, No. 1015 Calumet avenue.

Mrs. Ashcroft has been ill for some time, but until a few days ago it was not thought that she would die. Captain Ashcroft, who is in command of the "New York" tug, is now in New York.

DEATHS.

WEYLE—Entered into rest on Monday, April 29, 1902, at 10:30 a. m., Mary Weyle, aged 82 years and 1 month, the beloved mother of James T. Weyle, Mary Weyle, and dear father of Mrs. J. Weyle, died at 1215 E. 12th St. in turners' home. Friends are cordially invited to attend.

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## In the City.

MRS. CORY'S WILL.—The will of Mrs. Mary E. Cory was filed for probate yesterday. Her heirs are Mary and Joseph Cory, daughters, to whom most of the property is left; Charles W. Cory and Edward L. and William E. Cory, sons, and Sarah A. Cory, daughter of her husband by a former marriage. The will provides that the bequests to her sons shall be revoked if the estate, exclusive of household goods, jewelry, etc., does not amount to \$50,000.

MRS. CATHERINE HEIN'S WILL.—Filed—Mrs. Catherine Hein, her will filed for probate yesterday, directed that her daughter, Mary Hein, be allowed to live in house No. 251 1/2 North Twelfth street five of rent and that a note for \$500 which she owed her daughter be paid. The remainder of her estate is to be divided equally among her daughter and other children.

DEATH OF GUSTAVUS HEIDEL.—Gustavus Heidel, vice president of the Globe Electric Company, died yesterday at his home, 2515 South Grand avenue, from congestion of the lungs, after an illness of three days. The funeral will take place Thursday at 10 o'clock at Bellefontaine Cemetery. He leaves a widow, no children. Mr. Heidel was born in St. Louis forty-five years ago. When a young man he entered the chemical business, but for some time has been connected with various electrical companies. He was a member of the Legion of Honor.

TAAFFE IS PROMOTED.—It was announced at the Courthouse yesterday that Bernard P. Taaffe had been appointed Chief Deputy Circuit Clerk in place of E. S. Jeffrey, who will be assigned to other duty. Mr. Jeffrey has held the position more than ten years.

DIED OF HIS INJURIES.—George Towhush, an engineer at the Columbia brewery, Twentieth and Madison streets, who was injured in a fall Monday, died at the Mulian Hospital yesterday. He fell from the top of an ice machine, sustaining a fracture of the jaw and internal injuries.

LABORER DIES SUDDENLY.—Frank Tonari, a laborer 45 years old, died suddenly while sitting in a chair of the Windsor Hotel at Sixth and Market streets, yesterday morning. When called by a waiter to the morgue, it is supposed he died of heart disease.

CHEMICAL BUILDING ANNEX.—A permit will be issued authorizing construction of an annex to the Chemical Building, the height to 150 feet. C. P. Longfellow, Commissioner of Public Buildings, refused a permit, but the Board of Appeal, after hearing the application, ordered the Commissioner to grant it.

LEFT \$5 TO HUSBAND.—Caroline Egan, by her will filed for probate yesterday, left \$5 to her husband, Paul, and the remainder of her estate to her daughter, Louise.

WORKMAN FELL FROM WINDOW.—Ben Johnson, a negro living at